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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For: AN ELECTRIC CYLINDER FOR ACTUATING A DOOR LOCK AND
A CYLINDER DOOR LOCK

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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SIR:

In response to the Office Action of March 6, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on June 6, 2006

Ronald E. Brown

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Signature

June 6, 2006

Date of Signature

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Account No. 50-1145, Order No. 501606.108029